



# Saint James Catholic Church

905 Park Avenue, Falls Church, VA

[www.stjamescatholic.org](http://www.stjamescatholic.org)

703-532-8815

## September 22, 2024



### 25<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"If anyone wishes to be first, he shall be the last of all and the servant of all." Taking a child, he placed it in their midst, and putting his arms around it, he said to them, "Whoever receives one child such as this in my name, receives me." - Mk 9:35b-37a

#### Clergy

Very Rev. Paul D. Scalia, Pastor  
Rev. John Paul Heisler, Parochial Vicar  
Rev. Charles Pavlick, Parochial Vicar  
Rev. Peter M. McShurley, In Residence  
Rev. Mauricio Pineda, In Residence  
Rev. Raymond Emedo, In Residence  
Deacon Marvin Muhat

#### Rectory Office Hours

Weekdays: 9:00am-9:00pm (closed 12:45pm-1:30pm)  
Saturdays: 9:00am-1:30pm

#### Rectory Office

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Sister Kathryn Teresa Clemmer, IHM, Principal  
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#### Mass Schedule

**Saturday Vigil:** 5:00pm

**Sundays:** 7:30am, 9:00am, 10:30am,  
2:30pm (Spanish), Noon,  
and 7:00pm

**Daily:** 6:30am, 8:15am, and Noon

**Saturdays:** 8:30am

**Federal Holidays:** 6:30am and 8:15am

**Holy Days:** 6:30am, 8:15am, Noon,  
5:00pm, and 7:00pm

#### Low-Gluten Hosts

Those who need low-gluten hosts are asked to come stand at the Sacred Heart statue for Communion.

#### Adoration

**Wednesdays and Thursdays:**  
12:30pm-8:00pm

**First Fridays:**  
9:00am-Noon  
7:30pm to 8:30am on Saturday (All  
Night Adoration)

#### Holy Hours

**Sundays:** 5:00pm  
**Third Thursdays:** 7:00pm

#### Confessions

**Wednesdays:** 7:00pm-8:00pm  
**Thursdays:** 7:00pm-8:00pm

**Fridays:** 11:00am-11:45am

**Saturdays:** 3:30pm-4:30pm and  
6:30pm-7:30pm

#### Baptisms

Baptisms are done every Sunday. Please contact the Rectory office to begin making arrangements prior to the child's birth. Registration in the parish is required prior to scheduling. Both parents are required to attend a pre-baptismal program and are encouraged to do so before the birth of their child.

#### Marriage

Contact the Rectory office for information and to begin marriage preparation with one of our priests. Marriage preparation is a six-month program. No date will be set for the wedding until a priest has met with the couple.

Visit the Worship menu on our website for more details, [stjamescatholic.org/sacraments/](http://stjamescatholic.org/sacraments/).

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703-532-2388

**Sister Patricia Healey, IHM, Superior**

### Parish Registration

To register with the parish or to update your contact information, call the Rectory office or email them at [receptionist@stjamescatholic.org](mailto:receptionist@stjamescatholic.org).

### The Pope's September Prayer Intention

**For the cry of the Earth**—We pray that each one of us will hear and take to heart the cry of the Earth and of victims of natural disasters and climactic change, and that all will undertake to personally care for the world in which we live.

### Follow Us on Social Media

- Facebook @StJamesCatholicChurch
- Instagram @stjamescatholic
- Twitter @St\_James\_CC



## On The Way

*Anima Christi: At the hour of my death, call me*

How does one respond to death's arrival? That's been a question ever since death entered the world. Some people avoid or rage against it as the intrusion on their autonomy that it clearly is. There's perhaps no greater reminder of our creatureliness. Increasingly, some people welcome, hasten, or even cause their own death as a way of asserting control. The Catholic response to death is markedly different.

As a newly ordained priest I once had to interrupt a school visit to visit a dying parishioner. On my next visit to the class, a student asked what had happened. I explained that I had been called away to visit a dying woman and that she had died "a happy death." As soon as the phrase left my mouth, I knew how odd – and important – it was for them to hear. Every Catholic should have in mind not only the notion of but also the hope for a happy death.

In the *Hail Mary* we ask for our Lady's help now *and at the hour of our death*. That's no perfunctory request. The moment of death is when the rubber meets the road, when we "appear before the judgment seat of Christ, so that each one may receive good or evil, according to what he has done in the body" (2 Cor 5:10). We want to be ready for that. Hence the old prayer, traditionally prayed at the gravesite, that we be delivered "from a sudden and unprovided death."

But that's just a baseline. We should desire that our death be happy in the sense that when it comes, we are reconciled with God, confident in his mercy, and anxious to see him. So, in the *Anima Christi* we pray, *at the hour of my death, call me*. Implicit in this petition is, of course, our desire to be with him. But what a wonderful thing to consider as we die, that he wants to see us, that he beckons us to come to him. We should be cultivating that desire now.

Again, the *Anima Christi* is traditionally a post-communion prayer. So, by this petition we pray that one fruit of our Holy Communion is the grace of a happy death. When a priest brings Holy Communion to the dying, it's traditionally called *Viaticum* or "Food for the journey." It is the nourishment the soul needs for the journey from this world to the next. In a broader sense, every reception of Communion is *Viaticum*. The Eucharist strengthens our hope, our supernatural confidence in God's mercy, so that we don't approach death with despair, rage, or self-will.

It might strike some as macabre to think about death and pray for how we are going to die. But we're all going to die. Unfortunately, we're not all going to die well. The "Death With Dignity" movement is promoting euthanasia – suicide – as a way to a peaceful death. But it doesn't bring happiness at all. It simply means that one enters into eternity self-willed and therefore opposed to God.

This petition should alert us to what those around us need. Fewer children in society mean fewer people to care for the elderly and to be with them as they die. This is a crisis in Japan, where almost 40,000 people died alone in their homes this year. So, we should think not only about our own happy death but also about how we can care for those nearing the end. Our presence and prayers can help ease the fear of death. Our securing a priest to bring them the sacraments can help them die happily, in the arms of the Lord.

– Fr. Scalia

## Mass Intentions for the Twenty-Fifth Week of Ordinary Time

**Saturday, September 21**

*Mass for the Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

5:00pm +John McKeon

**Sunday, September 22**

*The Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

7:30am +Diane and Shirley Fingers

9:00am +John Ulincy

10:30am Pro Populo

Noon Special Intention

2:30pm Corinne Sana

7:00pm +Norma Guerrero Lacson

**Monday, September 23**

*St. Pius of Pietrelcina*

6:30am +Edward Laso

8:15am Special Intention

Noon Zita Sare Grebogi

**Tuesday, September 24**

*Tuesday of the Twenty-Fifth Week of Ordinary Time*

6:30am +Loly Costas and Ana Maria Garcia

8:15am +Guido DeAscanis

Noon +Kenny Donovan

**Wednesday, September 25**

*Wednesday of the Twenty-Fifth Week of Ordinary Time*

6:30am +Amadeo DeAscanis

8:15am Annelica Ibe

Noon +Mary McGlone

**Thursday, September 26**

*SS Cosmas and Damian*

6:30am +Delia Gallagher

8:15am +Oberto Blanco

Noon +Ilona and Andy Prishack

**Friday, September 27**

*St. Vincent de Paul*

6:30am +Giuliana Di Damaso

8:15am +Dr. Thomas Ellison

Noon +Humberto Daboin

**Saturday, September 28**

*St. Wenceslaus; St. Lawrence Ruiz and Companions*

8:30am +Irene Ulincy

*Mass for the Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

5:00pm +Debbie Blankenship

**Sunday, September 29**

*The Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

7:30am +Joseph Patrick Liverman

9:00am +Sosamma Mathen, Zacharia T. Coipuram,  
and Thomas T. Coipuram, Sr.

10:30am Pro Populo

Noon +Mary Rose Keating

2:30pm +Kathleen Lynch

7:00pm +Wayne Minear

## Today's Readings

**First Reading**

**Wis 2:12, 17-20**

"The wicked say: Let us beset the just one, because he is..."

**Psalm**

**Ps 54:3-4, 5, 6 and 8**

"The Lord upholds my life."

**Second Reading**

**Jas 3:16—4:3**

"Beloved: Where jealousy and selfish ambition exist,"

**Gospel**

**Mk 9:30-37**

"Jesus and his disciples left from there and began a journey..."

## Readings for the Week

Visit [www.bible.usccb.org/readings](http://www.bible.usccb.org/readings) for the daily readings, responsorial psalms, and gospels for the upcoming week.

## Remember in Your Prayers

### the sick of our parish family

Juan Alarcon

Joyce Babiak

Beatriz Basso

Cory Bautista

Betty Brunton

Carmine Carosella

Jane C. Checkan

Brendan Collins

Christopher Deloye

Mona Demien

Mike Dudzik

Roberta Dunn

Erik Funk

Katherine Garren

Laura Lareau

Alex Lohman

Jose G. Martinez

Nicholas McDonough

Mildred Melmer

Gloria Mora

Julie Neil

Rachel Noonan

Esther Olivos

Janet Owen

Jim Owen

Carter Parry

Phillip Perot

Thomas Rackowski

Conley Rohall

Russell Ross

Kathleen Seroskie

Robyn Stewart

Kathy Thomas

Julia Umana

Lauren Vinci

Liv Wash

Anne Marie Willis

Richard Ziegler

### the deceased of our parish family

Anthony Antenucci

Judith Karinshak

Stephen Koehnke

Charles Daniel McMahon

### and those serving our country

This includes veterans, military retirees, and those serving overseas in the military and foreign service. For changes or updates, email Tina Doak, [communications@stjamescatholic.org](mailto:communications@stjamescatholic.org).

1st Lt. Thomas Canady, USAF

SSgt Joshua Conrad, USAF

CDR Thomas Dixon

Lt. Mathew Hayes, USN

### Retired

CPT William H. Johnson, USA

1st Lt. Charles Molineaux, USA



## Saint James Prayer Chain

Become a praying member of the Saint James Prayer Chain. We are dedicated to praying for the intentions of our parish families and their loved ones. For more information, visit the *Saint James Prayer Chain* page under Faith Formation on [www.stjamescatholic.org](http://www.stjamescatholic.org).

- To sign up to be a praying member, visit <http://eepurl.com/gURddd>
- To submit a request to the Prayer Chain, email [PrayerChain@saintjameschool.org](mailto:PrayerChain@saintjameschool.org)





## Parish News

### Wednesday Women's Bible Study

Enter more fully into Christ's life in an 8-week study of St. Paul's Epistle to the Romans. The Ascension Press study "*Romans: The Gospel of Salvation*" includes DVD presentations by Dr. Andrew Swafford and Jeff Cavins. A workbook is available for purchase in class for \$28. Meetings are held weekly on **Wednesday mornings from 10:00am-11:30am** in the Knecht Conference Room. Bring your own Bible.

Contact Jane Harvey, [harveyjmc@gmail.com](mailto:harveyjmc@gmail.com), if you have any questions.

### Weekday Adoration Parking Notice

If you are attending adoration on **Wednesday or Thursday afternoons between 2:30pm and 3:30pm**, please refrain from using Lot A parking across from the church.



During this time, Lot A is used for school dismissal. Cars start arriving around 2:30pm for car line.

### Ecumenical Study and Planning Group

The Saint James Ecumenical Study and Planning Group invites you to join them as they read and discuss the encyclical letter *Ut unum sint* ("That they may be one") of Pope John Paul II. The group will meet monthly on the **fourth Monday beginning September 23rd from 7:00pm-8:30pm**.

Email Julie Conroy, [jmtconroy@gmail.com](mailto:jmtconroy@gmail.com), for more information.

### Saint James School Openings

Saint James School has openings for this school year for **part-time extended day/recess staff**. Hours of employment are 10:30am-1:00pm and 2:45pm-6:00pm Monday through Friday and 11:00am-6:00pm on early dismissal school days. Duties include supervising students during outdoor recess and during indoor activities that include snack time, homework help, playing games, and arts and crafts. Applicants must have experience working with children and must be at least 18 years of age. Rate is \$17 per hour. This is a great job if you like summers as well as Christmas and Easter breaks off.

To apply or obtain more detail about this position, visit the Arlington Diocesan website at [www.arlingtondiocese.org/catholic-schools/careers/faculty-and-staff-openings-in-catholic-schools](http://www.arlingtondiocese.org/catholic-schools/careers/faculty-and-staff-openings-in-catholic-schools) and type "St. James" in the search area.

For more information, email Sister Kathryn, [sisterkathryn@saintjameschool.org](mailto:sisterkathryn@saintjameschool.org).

### Co-ed Bible Study

Join the co-ed bible study group **Saturday mornings from 10:00am-12:00pm** in the Parish House kitchen, which is in the back of the house and up the stairs. The group discusses the upcoming Sunday Mass readings.

If you are planning to attend for the first time, email Jeremy Dow, [yeyuchushi@gmail.com](mailto:yeyuchushi@gmail.com), to confirm the group will meet on the Saturday you plan to join. Although it is rare that sessions are canceled, it does occur.

**RAISE SOME DOUGH**  
*Help support us!*

25% of sales will benefit  
St. James School

Wednesday, September 25th  
4:00 pm to 8:00 pm EDT  
450 West Broad Street, Falls Church,  
VA

In Cafe   Drive-Thru  
Pick-Up   Delivery

Enter promo code FUND4U at online checkout.

**Panera**  
FUNDRAISING

Bring this notice or show a digital copy if you go in person.



## Parish News (Continued)

### Young Adults Retreat

Come Climb with us! Join us at the Arlington Diocese's San Damiano Retreat Center for a weekend of spiritual adventure. Together we will scale the peaks and navigate the chasms of the spiritual life as we ascend "the Heights" to Christ with Pier Giorgio Frassati.

Fr. Joseph Townsend, Parochial Vicar at the Basilica of St. Mary in Alexandria, and our own Father John Paul will guide you to the summit, and for more adventurous souls—come along on a Sunday afternoon excursion to the summit of a Blue Ridge Peak!

**Date:** October 18 6:00pm to October 20 1:00pm

**Where:** San Damiano Retreat Center  
White Post, VA 22663

**Cost:** \$285

For further information or to register for this retreat, please contact Deacon Mark Maines, [mark.maines@arlingtondiocese.org](mailto:mark.maines@arlingtondiocese.org).

### Seniors Young at Heart October Meeting Change

Due to the Saint James Bazaar the week of our meeting, there will not be an October's Senior Dinner. As an alternative, we are planning to see an afternoon movie on Wednesday that week at the

Cinema Arts Theater  
Fair City Mall

9650-14 Main Street, Fairfax, VA

The price is \$6.00 (movie and time TBD). Please check October bulletin.

Mamma Lucia's Restaurant is next to the theater for those who would like to have lunch.

Wednesday, October 16th

Lunch & Movie (TBD)

Fair City Mall

9650 Main Street, Fairfax

### Life Corner

**40 Days for Life begins this Wednesday, September 25th.** Come and join peaceful vigils from 7:00am-7:00pm in front of abortion businesses during the 40 Days for Life Campaign. One such place is 900 S. Washington Street in Falls Church, located within our parish boundaries. On Wednesdays, our parish day, with your presence we can keep constant vigil throughout this campaign. However, you can come any day of the week, at any time that fits your schedule. Pray the Rosary peacefully and reverently on the sidewalk in front of the building. The campaign continues through November 3rd. To learn more about 40 Days for Life, visit [www.40daysforlife.com](http://www.40daysforlife.com).



Pray a Hail Mary this week for courage and perseverance in pro-life work.

### Life Chain

On **October 6th** (Respect Life Sunday) from **2:00pm-3:00pm**, please come and take part in our annual Life Chain—a peaceful and prayerful witness to life! We will gather at the corner of Broad Street (Rt. 7) and Spring Street (by Saint James School) where we will have positive pro-life signs available. After our opening prayer, take a sign and stand alongside Broad Street, holding your sign toward the on-coming traffic, and pray for an end to abortion. Similar Life Chains will be taking place across the country at the same time. Feel free to bring a chair, but do not block pedestrian traffic. Email or call Rich Hunter, [StJamesLife@gmail.com](mailto:StJamesLife@gmail.com) or 571-423-6482, with any questions.





# Stewardship—The Gift of Time, Talent, and Treasure

## Maintenance Fund Second Collection

This weekend, **September 21-22**, we will have a second collection for our Parish Maintenance Fund. It is a challenge for our facilities staff to maintain seven buildings, all in constant, heavy use. Your faithful support of our beautiful, historic Church and School—both over 100 years old—is greatly appreciated.

To donate online via Faith Direct, please visit <https://membership.faithdirect.net/givenow/VA50/3365>.



## Porto Charities Second Collection

*"Let the little children come to me and do not hinder them for the kingdom of God belongs to such as these."*  
Matthew 19:14

The second collection in two weekends, **October 5-6**, will benefit Porto Charities, a non-profit organization dedicated to increasing access to diocesan Catholic schools for children with intellectual and developmental disabilities.

Our schools need financial support to provide the additional resources to support these students, and all of your donation this weekend will help them create or expand their inclusion programs for the coming year. Since 2009, Porto Charities has given more than \$1.2 million in grants to all four of our Catholic high schools and more than fifteen elementary schools including our parish school. By supporting Porto Charities, you are enabling our diocese to continue to serve those who want and deserve the tremendous benefit of a Catholic education.

To donate online via Faith Direct, visit [membership.faithdirect.net/givenow/VA50/44791](https://membership.faithdirect.net/givenow/VA50/44791).

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**St. James Catholic Church?**

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Text "ENROLL" to 703-584-7023

Call Customer Service at (866) 507-8757

**PORTO CHARITIES**

**SPECIAL KIDS/ SPECIAL NEEDS CAMPAIGN OCTOBER 5-6**

Give the gift of Catholic Education to children with intellectual and developmental disabilities in the Diocese of Arlington. All proceeds from the campaign go to schools.

Scan to Donate



*"Be doers of the word and not hearers only." James 1:22*



**"Where We Ignite the Potential in Each Child."**

We had a successful Nun Fun Run on September 7th. All proceeds are used to help support our retired IHM Sisters at Camilla Hall. It was a wonderful morning and well-attended by our SJS community. We warmed up, ran the mile + through Falls Church City, and finished with high fives and donuts! Thank you to Sheriff Cay and his team for blocking roads and keeping us safe. A special thank you to our donor couple for covering the \$3,000 city cost!



**Sister Kathryn and Sister Alexa show off their t-shirts.**



**Top: Sherriff Cay and his team; Bottom: Sheriff Cay with the Nun Fun Run organizers**





## Youth Ministry



SAVE THE DATE

# WORKCAMP

## 2025

JUNE 21- 27



## High School



# RALLY

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 27



A DAY FILLED WITH FAITH AND FUN!

All high school students are invited!

Mass with Bishop Burbidge  
Keynote Speakers Kris Frank & Meg Hunter-Kilmer  
Music from John Paul Von Arx

SAINT JAMES  
YOUTH MINISTRY  
2024-2025 CALENDAR

### MIDDLE SCHOOL (GRADES 6-8)

September 22-Sports on Rocket Field  
November 17-Movie Night  
December 15-Dodgeball, Gym  
January 5-Epiphany Party  
February 16-Dodgeball, Gym  
March 16-Dodgeball, Gym  
April 6-Dodgeball, Gym  
May 10-BASH

**\*\*Most events are from 4:00pm-6:00pm.  
Please check our website for more details.\*\***

To RSVP, scan  
our QR Code



## Middle School

SAINT JAMES YOUTH MINISTRY  
MIDDLE SCHOOL (GRADES 6-8)

# SPORTS ON ROCKET FIELD

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 22

4 PM- 6 PM

Youth & Chaperones RSVP on our website:  
<https://stjamescatholic.org/faith/youth-ministry/>



The Saint James Catholic Church Youth Ministry Program strives to foster the life of the Spirit in the development of the human person by:

- Assisting families in the responsibility of raising youth in the faith
- Teaching youth to pray/encounter
- Connecting youth with their peers practicing the faith



**We value parent involvement in our activities.**  
**VIRTUS-trained adults are encouraged to chaperone or plan events.**

Check out our website:  
<https://stjamescatholic.org/faith/youth-ministry/>



## Nationals' Faith Day

Our Saint James Youth Ministry coordinated attending a NATS Faith Day over Labor Day weekend. About 50 Saint James parishioners had a terrific time at the game. It was great to cheer on the NATS as a parish. Even though the Cubs won 5-3, it was lots of fun. Our group also had a surprise visit from Screech in our section. If you could not join us this time, we hope you will next year!





**OCT 5**

**PET BLESSING**

9:30AM-10:00AM ON CHURCH LAWN

**OCT 6**

**DONUT SUNDAY RETURNS**

AFTER 9:00AM & 10:30AM MASSES

**OCT 16-19**

**SAINT JAMES BAZAAR**

MORE DETAILS TO FOLLOW IN  
BULLETIN

**OCT 23**

**PARISH SPEAKER: HELEN ALVARE**

7:00PM-8:30PM | MSGR. HELLER HALL

**OCT 24**

**SAINT JAMES SCHOOL ALUMNI  
RECEPTION**

7:00PM-8:30PM | MSGR. HELLER HALL

**NOV 2**

**MASS OF REMEMBRANCE**

SATURDAY NOON MASS

**NOV 5**

**ELECTION DAY-ALL DAY  
ADORATION**

STARTING AFTER 8:15AM MASS

**For more details, visit [StJamesCatholic.org](https://StJamesCatholic.org)  
or see upcoming bulletins**





# Saint James Catholic Church

## Come visit our Ministry Fair

(in conjunction with November's Donut Sunday)



Everyone has a talent or gift. Our parish has many opportunities for everyone to get involved! Be a part of our vibrant parish community.

If your ministry would like to participate, email [sramsel@stjamescatholic.org](mailto:sramsel@stjamescatholic.org), visit [stjamescatholic.org/parish-ministry-fair-november-3rd](https://stjamescatholic.org/parish-ministry-fair-november-3rd), or scan the QR code.



*Each of you should use whatever gift you have received to serve others, as faithful stewards of God's grace in its various forms.*

**1 Peter 4:10**

**Sunday, November 3rd  
after 9:00am & 10:30am Masses  
Monsignor Heller Hall**



**Connect**



**Grow**



**Serve**

**Saint James Catholic Church  
Social Outreach Committee**

*and*



*Present...*

# Catholic TRIVIA

First  
place  
prize!

*night Jubilee Edition!*

**Come show your  
knowledge of all  
things Catholic!  
Impress your family,  
amaze your friends!  
And support the  
important work of  
Catholic Charities!**

**Adults Only. Teams of 8-10  
encouraged. Registration  
REQUIRED by October 23<sup>rd</sup>.**

**Minimum Entry fee/person: a hygiene  
pack or bulk hygiene items containing  
(no trial sizes)-**

- Dish Soap (14+ oz)
- Toilet Paper (1+ rolls)
- Paper Towels (1+ rolls)
- Cleaning wipes (80+ sheets)
- Laundry Detergent (30-50 oz)

**Goods will be  
taken at  
Check-in.  
Thank you for  
being  
generous!**

- Deodorant
- Shampoo
- bars of Soap
- Body wash
- Diapers-size 1

**Highlighted  
items are  
Critical Need**

**Doors open  
@6 pm**

**Bring food &  
beverages to  
share!**

**October 25<sup>th</sup> | 6:45-8:45 pm**

**Heller Hall @ Saint James Catholic Church**

830 West Broad Street, Falls Church, VA 22046

**To Register: <https://forms.gle/KnrzZhsJQYFW3zsA9>**





## Parish Calendar

### Monday, September 23

5:00pm-5:30pm	Youth Reader Practice	Parish House
7:00pm-8:15am	High School Theology	School Library

### Tuesday, September 24

7:00am-7:45am	Saint James Fraternity-Exodus 90	Parish House
10:00am-11:15am	Seniors Young at Heart Planning Meeting	Parish House
4:45pm & 7:00pm	PREP Classes	Msgr. Heller Hall/School
7:00pm-8:45pm	Mothers of Young Children	Parish House
7:30pm-9:00pm	Charismatic Prayer Group	Knecht
7:30pm-9:00pm	Legion of Mary	Parish House

### Wednesday, September 25

10:00am-11:30am	Women's Weekly Study	Knecht
12:30pm-8:00pm	Adoration	Church
7:00pm-8:00pm	Confessions	Church
7:00pm-8:30pm	OCIA	Knecht
7:00pm-8:00pm	Men's Bible Study	Parish House

### Thursday, September 26

10:00am-12:00pm	Divine Mercy Cenacle	Knecht
12:30pm-8:00pm	Adoration	Church
7:00pm-8:00pm	Confessions	Church
7:00pm-9:00pm	Women's Bible Study	School Reading Room
7:00pm-9:00pm	Young Professionals	Parish House

### Friday, September 27

11:00am-11:45am	Confessions	Church
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### Saturday, September 28

10:00am-12:00pm	Co-ed Bible Study	Parish House
3:30pm-4:30pm	Confessions	Church
6:30pm-7:30pm	Confessions	Church
6:00pm-8:30pm	Hispanic Prayer Group	Msgr. Heller Hall

### Sunday, September 29

10:15am-11:00am	Special Religious Education (SPRED)	Knecht
12:00pm-2:00pm	Hispanic OCIA	Knecht
1:00pm-2:15pm	Hispanic PREP	School
3:30pm-5:30pm	Hispanic Youth-Girls	Parish House
4:00pm-5:30pm	Hispanic Legion of Mary	Parish House
5:00pm-6:00pm	Holy Hour	Church

### Rocket Class Golf Tournament 2024

It is not too late to sign up for the Rocket Classic Golf tournament on **Friday, October 25th, at 1:00pm** at [sjsptova.ejoinme.org/2024RocketClassic](https://sjsptova.ejoinme.org/2024RocketClassic). It will be held at Westfields Golf Club in Clifton, VA.

Sponsorship opportunities are still available. Promote your business to an audience of over 3,500 school, parish, and community supporters.

All proceeds from this event support Saint James Catholic School, funding education and enrichment resources for students and teachers.

**All levels of golfers are welcome.**

